



Last chance to get your tickets – [here](#). There are three performances on the 6th, 7th and 8th of February.

Friday 2nd February 2024

Dear Parents and Carers,

Helping students to be fully equipped – every student needs to come to school equipped for learning. To support this, we sell all the items we expect a student to have in our cost price shop at Student Services.

Whiteboard learning is a very effective tool for assessing quickly, who in a class has “got” the new learning. We have, this week, as a one off, given all our students a white board pen in assembly to support this. Whiteboard pens are a part of the expected equipment a student needs in school, thank you for all you do to support us in sending your child to school ready for learning every day – it is valued.

Collaboration Day – Friday 9th February

Our first Collaboration Day was last year and the shift forwards for lesson experience and resources for students was significant. This year we have two Collaboration Days on our calendar on the website, one in June and the one next Friday. All students will be working remotely on Teams at home. Please contact your Head of Academic Progress if you need any support in accessing O365. Our O365 license allows all families to download the full O365 suite on up to 5 devices. Support for this is [here](#).

KS4 and KS5 will be set assignments for every lesson on Teams, and KS3 will be taking part in MATLITFEST, an opportunity to get creative and submit entries into the festival. More information will be shared next week.

Stationery Shop

Opening times: Every morning until the 8.40am bell.
Location: Student services (by medical)

Item	Price
Black pen	10p
Pencil	10p
Eraser	10p
Ruler (15cm)	15p
Ruler (30cm)	30p
Protractor	20p
Compass	25p
Whiteboard pen	50p
Revision flashcards	£1
Clear pencil case	50p
GCSE Calculator	£15.50
A level calculator	£19.95



REMINDERS & NOTICES



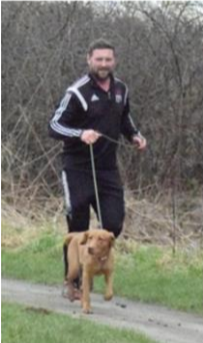
Climb the Burj Khalifa

This well-loved House event was won by Mallory this week.



Marches Takes over Park Run

Thank you to all our families who took part – it was very muddy, but lots of fun!



Year 7 – Titanic Exploration

Following research, we have been designing and making our own lifeboats. Yesterday, we tested them to see if they floated and how many people (masses) each lifeboat could hold before it sank!

Mr Collier



FOCUS



More than 80 Applications to University Year 13 students have their heads down preparing for the exams. Offers are coming in, including courses in Psychology, Social Work, Biomedicine, Music Production, Geography, Computer Science, Chemistry, Law, Primary Education, Physiotherapy, Sport and Exercise Science.

We are thrilled for **Sophie Goodes and Annie Squire** who have both secured offers at Cambridge. Sophie for Economics and Annie for Geography.



UPCOMING EVENTS

Click [here](#) to view our upcoming events.
Events at a glance:
6th/7th/8th February – Shrek Jr Performances
Thursday 8th February – House Staff Tug of War
Friday 9th February – Collaboration Day
Thursday 22nd February – Year 13 Parent/Student Finance Talk
Thursday 29th February – Year 8 Parents' Evening (online)

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